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Mr. Alan Tavenner, Project Officer Super Fund Enforcement Branch U.S Environmental Protection Agency, Region VI 1445 Ross Avenue Dallas, Texas 75202

Pa: Super Fund Assistance

Dear Mr. Tavenner,

Standing Rock community is located 10 miles north of the Uranium Spill of July 19, 1979. We have residents 1 to 14 mile north of the spill who have been trying to get some sort of help in stabilizing the effects of the uranium spill which directly affected their lives as well as their livestock.

There have been studies conducted. The whole community of Standing Rock is not aware of the severity of the impact on the people living within the area who are experiencing adverse effects on the local ground water and the injestion of vegetation by livestock animals north of the spill.

We, the chapter, would like to inform you of our intention in requesting Technical Assistance supporting the use and allocation of funds from the Super Funds to find a way to get quality drinking water to the small dwelling area affected by the spill.

We also would like to cooperate with your department to see what adequate services are provided to the people residing within our chapter boundary at the far southern portion where the spill has occurred.

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated in utilizing the Super Funds for this particular purpose, thank you.

Jimson Joe, Manager Standing Rock Chapter

Attachment "see map"



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